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MEDIA ADVISORY

Council President Hines To Tap Former Justice Louis Butler As Chair of New Alcohol Beverage Licensing Panel

News Conference at 10 a.m. Thursday at City Hall

Common Council President Willie L. Hines, Jr. will appoint former Wisconsin Supreme Court Justice Louis Butler as chair of the city's Alcohol Beverage Licensing Task Force (ABLTF), created by President Hines in June to recommend potential improvements for the licensing process.

President Hines and Justice Butler will address the media during a 10 a.m. news conference on Thursday, August 21, 2008 in the first floor Rotunda at City Hall, to discuss the appointment and the pending work and schedule of the panel.

Governor Jim Doyle appointed Justice Butler to the Wisconsin Supreme Court in 2004. In 1992 he was appointed as a City of Milwaukee Municipal Court judge and served in that capacity until he was elected to the Milwaukee County Circuit Court (Branch 9) in 2002. His Supreme Court term ended on July 31, 2008.

When: Thursday, August 21, 10 a.m.

Where: Rotunda at City Hall, 200 E. Wells St.

What: News conference – Pres. Willie Hines and Justice Louis Butler